

Ore Carrier Makes First Voyage Here

The world's largest ocean-going ore carrier made her maiden voyage call to Southern California today at the Port of Long Beach to load out 52,000 tons of iron ore for Japan.

The MS Santa Isabel Maru, operated by the Mitsubishi Shipping Co., is 740 feet long, 101 feet wide and draws 38 feet when fully loaded.

She has a service speed of 14 knots and has a total crew of 49.

The vessel will outload Kaiser iron ore from Eagle Mountain, Calif., at the Port of Long Beach's new bulk loader which move one million tons of the Kaiser ore a year for the next 10 years to the Mitsubishi Shoji Kaisha of Tokyo.

The 52,000 ton shipment via the Santa Isabel Maru is the largest ore shipment ever made on the Pacific Coast.

Drama Club Will Present 'Holy Night'

Bishop Montgomery High School's Drama Club, under direction of Sister Rita Francis, is preparing for presentation of the annual Christmas play to be held Dec. 14, 15 and 16.

Members of the acting cast for the play, entitled "O Holy Night" include Seniors Virginia Cannady, John Donlou, John Erickson, Elissa Marino, Virginia Foffit, Albert Ryan, and Mike Shapely; Juniors Bill Hiatt and Odette Beaudoir; and Sophomores Joe Rawlings and Tim Scott.

Musical atmosphere will be supplied by the Girls' Glee Club, which will present a total of ten numbers. Setting of the play is 12th Century England, and the action is concerned with an unusual miracle wrought a certain Christmas Eve.

Las Vecinas Aid Needy

Approval of the major Las Vecinas Christmas philanthropic activity was announced by Mrs. Mel Hefflinger, president, after the recent November meeting at which the membership decided to aid the Torrance YMCA in their annual Needy Navajo project.

Members, directed by Mrs. Donald Edwards, philanthropic chairman, will collect canned goods, warm clothing and toys.

Donations will be picked up Thursday.

Volunteers include Meses, Marvyn Stolle, Herb Evans, Wallace Peterson, Robert Harlin, Leo Kline, E. R. Harvey, Norman Watson, and Charles Hopkins.

Carl E. Dykes, USN, Aboard USS Winston

USS WINSTON (PHTCN) — Carl E. Dykes, signalman second class, USN, son of Mrs. E. San Souel of 21112 So. Harvard Blvd., Torrance, is serving aboard the attack cargo ship USS Winston, which carried emergency supplies and equipment to Guam to aid that typhoon-stricken Pacific Island.

The Winston carries 5,000 sleeping cots, blankets, pillows, shower units, generators, flashlight batteries, 15 tons of roofing material, heavy equipment, and trucks to Guam from Hawaii after the typhoon struck Nov. 12.

Also aboard the Winston were 70 Marines to man the trucks and other vehicles. Earlier, larger contingents of Marines were flown into the island in the wake of the disaster.

COST OF SCHOOLS

Fifty-seven per cent of total California public school cost will be paid by the local property tax this year, compared to only 47.9 per cent in 1953.

WIRE-WOOL PADDING

A tough alloy of nickel and copper is machined into a wire wool and is used as padding to cushion the vibrations of jet engines in supersonic aircraft.

Interior Designer Gets Challenging Hotel Task

Authentically reproducing rare Roman coins and other artifacts and furnishings of the Roman Empire has been the challenging and interesting job of Edward L. Fulkerson, interior designer with Dohrmann's of Los Angeles.

The L. A. hotel and restaurant supply firm was selected by the Caesar Motel Corp. to design and execute the interior of the new Caesars at 4111 Pacific Coast Highway, Torrance.

Now being readied for an early January grand opening, Caesars is expected to become a showplace for its interior design and decor reminiscent of the early Roman era.

For Fulkerson, it was back to the old history books—and art books—and museums, for inspiration and study of the most elegant period in history.

The resulting interiors of Caesars' public rooms—entry, coffee shop, cocktail lounge and dining room—promise to provide an atmosphere of luxury and opulence as only the Romans have known, Fulkerson's creations, custom designed and executed for Caesars, include a unique glass sculpture mural of a Roman chariot, the largest glass sculpture ever manufactured, and replicas in sculpture of early Roman coins.

Menu Is Key To Quick Picnic

Fall is the time for spur-of-the-moment picnics. On a beautiful Sunday, take a long drive in the country with a roadside lunch.

Keep the menu simple with foods that pack with the least trouble and are easy to assemble when you eat.

You might start with deviled eggs for an appetizer. Meat loaf makes a perfect main course because it's rich, flavorful and cuts well for sandwiches. Feature a "nodish" dessert like fruit, cheese and cookies.

Cold drinks packed in ice and good hot coffee complete the picnic picture. And best of all, there's no after-work involved if you use paper plates and cups. Solve the greasy finger problem with large Kleenex table napkins. Just break the box in two and you can put one server at each end of the picnic table.

Sounds good, doesn't it? Have a wonderful time.

The head and tail coins will be suspended on brass chains to form a separating screen between the cocktail bar and the dance lounge. The screen will glow with tangerine lighting from below.

An ornate racing chariot wheel inspired the design which will become the chandelier in the coffee shop. Here too, walls will be decorated with stylized Roman columns and arches with scenic backgrounds.

The dining room will have a massive chandelier designed with replicas of swords and shields used by Roman warriors. The sword and shield motif will be repeated in wall brackets around the room. Helmets and armor will be displayed in wall niches.

Romans, according to the history books, created their own views when none were actually present. Adopting this idea, Fulkerson has selected black silk textured vinyl with stylized bas-relief Roman columns and sculptured brass vines and leaves to create views in the bar lounge.

Marble, in a modern day form, will further the theme in table, bar, and counter tops. The "marble" is a simulated one called, "Antique Milano."

To enliven and enrich the Roman rooms, Fulkerson has chosen warm, richly glowing colors. Shades of gold are lavishly used as well as russet, grape and

crimson. Fulkerson describes Caesars as one of the most fascinating projects he has undertaken.

"We're aiming at achieving an authentic Roman atmosphere, utilizing Roman art and antiques in contemporary ways. The total effect is of informal elegance and I think Caesars will be noted for his unusual and interesting decor."

Two-Year Olds Honored at Double Party

Billy Butcher and Patrick Doyle celebrated their second birthdays at a double party given by their grandmothers, Mrs. Sandstrom and Mrs. Bertha F. McNeil at Mrs. Sandstrom's home, 1514 Madrid Ave.

Luncheon guests included: Mr. and Mrs. William Butcher, Jr. and daughter, Gaylene; Mr. and Mrs. Jerome G. Doyle and daughter, Peggy; Mrs. Paul Doyle and daughter, Robin; Mrs. Robert Butcher and son, Skipper; Mrs. Sidney Martine and children, Kimberly, Jeff and Greg.

Also Mrs. Edward Marrah, Jr. and daughter, Christina of Lakeview and Mrs. Thomas Jacobs and Mrs. Atlas S. Olds and daughter, Shannan of Los Angeles.

FREE CLASSIFIED AD—Ethel M. Folts, 2314 Dominguez, Torrance.



AREA BUSINESSMAN Alex Schreiber (right) receives congratulations from Robbi Henri Front, pastor of Temple Menorah, and Mrs. Anna Grancell, longtime area resident. Three joined recently at California Home for the Aged in Reseda to honor Schreiber for extensive contributions in time and effort during past 30 years.

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FINAL PLANS for opening of new Caesar's Motel, 4111 Pacific Coast Hwy. in Torrance, are discussed by Board of Directors. Caesar's, new luxury motor hotel, is a local project developed by (l-r) Lowell Hunt, Gilbert Sellan, Al McBride, Caesar Sellan and Raymond Sellan.

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